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AMENDMENT

Sir:

This amendment is in response to the Office Action dated January 24, 2002, in which Claims 1-3 and 5-10 were rejected.

REMARKS

This application has been carefully reviewed in light of the Office Action dated January 24, 2002. Claims 1-3 and 5-10 remain pending in this application. Claim 1 is the independent claim. Favorable reconsideration is respectfully requested.

Claims 1-3, 6, 8, and 10 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Lazzery (U.S. Patent No. 4,012,117; hereinafter "Lazzery") in view of Lightbody et al. (U.S. Patent No. 4,528,500; hereinafter "Lightbody"). Additionally, Claims 5 and 9 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §

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